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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 26, 2006, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on September 26, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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